

Proceedings
of
THE TRAVANCORE SRI MULAM ASSEMBLY.

(OFFICIAL REPORT.)

THIRD ASSEMBLY.

SECOND SESSION—SECOND MEETING—1945/1120.

Monday the 11th June 1945/29th Edavom 1120.

The Assembly met at the Council Chamber, Public Offices, at 12 noon with Sachivottama Sir C. P. Ramaswami Aiyar, K. C. S. I., K. C. I. E., LL. D., Dewan President, in the chair.

Lieut. Col. C. G. N. Edwards, C. I. E., Resident for the Madras States was seated in the dais along with Mrs. Edwards.

NEW MEMBERS.

The following members took the oath and signed the rolls:—

1. Mr. C. P. Gopala Panicker (*Secretary to Government*).
2. Rajyasevanirata M. K. Gopala Pillai (*Director of Public Health*).
3. Mr. C. Kumara Das (*Secretary to Government*).
4. „ K. G. Kunjukrishna Pillai (*Advocate General*).
5. „ G. Narayanan Tampi (*Secretary to Government*).
6. „ K. R. Narayana Aiyar (*Director of Agriculture and Director of Food Supplies*).
7. „ S. Narayana Aiyar (*Financial Secretary to Government*).
8. „ N. Ramakrishna Pillai (*Legal Remembrancer to Government*).
9. „ S. N. Ure (*Public Service Commissioner*).
10. Dewan Bahadur L. Venkatakrishnan (*Chief Engineer*).

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

Pumping out water for cultivation.

111. *MR. V. K. VELAPPAN NAIR (*Vaikom cum Kottayam*): Will the Government be pleased to state the total area of Punja and Kari lands in Thalayazham, Vetchoor, Kumarakam, Kaipuzha and Neendoor pakuthies where engine is used for pumping out water for cultivation?

MR. G. NARAYANAN TAMPI (*Secretary to Government*):

	<i>Acres.</i>	<i>Cents.</i>
Thalayazham pakuthi	2520	70
Vetchoor "	4281	25
Kumarakam "	6218	11
Kaipuzha "	5761	86
Neendoor (Onamthuruthu pakuthi)	842	11

Revenue from Parur taluk.

112. *MR. P. O. THOMAS (*Kunnatnad cum Parur*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) What revenue the Government received under the heads of land revenue, customs revenue, income tax and fisheries from Parur taluk in 1119; and

(b) what amounts were actually spent in 1119 in P. W. D. works?

MR. G. NARAYANAN TAMPI: The time and labour involved in collecting the materials for the answer, would be incommensurate with the benefit to be derived by it.

MR. P. O. THOMAS: Will the Honourable Member be pleased to give at least a rough idea of the time and labour necessary for answering this question.

MR. G. NARAYANAN TAMPI: It is not possible to assess that, Sir.

MR. P. O. THOMAS: Will the Honourable member be pleased to say what according to him is the benefit that is to be derived from this?

PRESIDENT: Order, order. This is a well-known form of answer indicating that the Government think that an answer is not possible. No further questions have been allowed by way of cross examination.

Travancore Medical Practitioners' Act.

113. *MR. P. S. NATARAJA PILLAI (*Chirayinkil cum Nedumangad*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Committee envisaged in Cl. 1 Sec. 20 of the Travancore Medical Practitioners' Act (VII of 1119) has been constituted; if so when;

(b) whether the Committee, if it has been constituted, has framed the Regulations as contemplated in Cl. 2 of Sec. 20 of the above Act, if not, the reasons for not doing so;

(c) whether the Regulations, if they have been framed, were considered by the Medical Council and submitted to Government for approval and whether the Government have approved them, if so, the date of such approval; and

(d) whether the Government have framed and published the rules contemplated by Sec. 34 of the above Act, if not, the reasons for not doing so?